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SUBJECT: MINISTER OF HOUSING WILL SUPPORT US EXPORTS

1. IN MY INITIAL CALL ON MINISTER OF HOUSING SHAREF, SEPT 19, HE DESCRIBED AT LENGTH NEW ISRAELI PLAN PURCHASE FROM US COMPANY IN CLEVELAND DILLON PROCESS FOR PREFABRICATED APARTMENT CONSTRUCTION. MINISTER NOTED THAT ABOUT 50 PERCENT OF COSTS WOULD

BE IN FORM DIRECT EXPORTS
FROM US.

2. MINISTER SHAREF TOLD ME HE HAD READ ABOUT MY RECENT 18 REMARKS TO

ISRAEL-AMERICA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
IN WHICH I STRESSED OUR INTEREST IN EXPANDING US EXPORTS TO ISRAEL AND RESTORING SHARE OF ISRAELI MARKET US HAD HISTORICALLY HELD. MINISTER SAID HOUSING SECTOR OF ISRAEL ECONOMY COULD BE OF SOME HELP TO US IN OUR EFFORTS EXPAND US SALES.

3. AS EMBASSY HAS BEEN REPORTING, ISRAEL HOUSING ECONOMY IS BECOMING INCREASINGLY INTERESTED IN US PRODUCTS, ESPECIALLY THOSE WITH LABOR-SAVING ELEMENTS THAT CAN SPEED CONSTRUCTION. URGE WASHINGTON AGENCIES TO MAKE MAXIMUM USE OF MINISTER SHAREF'S WILLING-
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